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Friday - 31 October 1969

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1. [] Bob Hull, Department of State, called to make further inquiries about our pending retirement legislation. He said that they would have hearings on conforming amendments to the Foreign Service system before the Hays Subcommittee on Wednesday. I sent him material on our pending legislation in the interest of being of assistance.

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3. [] Talked with Miss Kimie Ishibashi, Personal Secretary to Senator Daniel Inouye (D., Hawaii), about the possibility of the Senator addressing the Advanced Intelligence Seminar next Friday. Miss Ishibashi said she would be glad to take this up with the Senator and be back in touch with me.

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5. [] Colonel Everett Harper, on the staff of the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee, called and asked if the revelations by Senator Fulbright following the Director's testimony before the Symington Subcommittee was a deliberate move on the Agency's part. I told Harper the only way we could answer his question was to state that the Director had appeared before the Symington Subcommittee in response to a request from the Senator which the Director did not feel he was in a position to refuse. I added that we did not consider this as establishing a precedent and the Director's appearance was made in a manner consistent with his other briefings on the Hill. I told him I was providing this for his information and not for publication. Harper said he understood and added that he was "dismayed" by Senator Fulbright's statements.

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25X1 6. [] Received another call from Al Tarabochia, on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, concerning the Subcommittee's contact with an American citizen who was arrested in Peru. (See Memo for the Record for details.)

After passing this information on to WH Division, I suggested to Tarabochia that he inform the State Department of this information since the individual involved is an American citizen.

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25X1 9. [] Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who told me the daily delivery of the transcript of the Director's testimony before the Symington Subcommittee can be discontinued after today. The transcript will be retained in the Agency, subject to call by the Chairman. Mr. Kuhl also advised that the transcript will be needed next Wednesday for the day. Chairman Symington has scheduled an administrative meeting of the Committee and staff to review the hearings on Laos.

25X1 10. [] Met with Mr. James T. Kendall, Chief Counsel, Senate Preparedness Investigation Subcommittee, who asked that someone come by the first of the week and brief him on the new Soviet bomber that has been receiving so much publicity.

25X1 11. [] Met with Miss Trudy King, Executive Assistant to Representative Thomas Morgan (D., Pa.), and closed out the [] correspondence with her. Miss King expressed Representative Morgan's appreciation for our help in this case.

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12. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who told me that he will be away from the city during the coming week but will be returning on Monday, 10 November. He will continue to work with the Chairman and the Committee staff for at least the next several weeks. No replacement or other staff person has been designated by the Chairman to work with us. During the coming week matters of Committee interest will be handled directly with the Chairman and members of the CIA Subcommittee.

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13. [] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who indicated that he intends to present the Agency's amendments to the retirement act before the full Committee together with the military retirement amendments which are pending before the Committee. When such presentation can be made is not yet known.

I briefed Mr. Slatinshek on the following items:

- a. Soviet low altitude defense measure;
- b. Soviet SS-9 test;
- c. Soviet leadership differences;
- d. Soviet SS-11 test;
- e. Soviet air-to-surface missile test;
- f. statement re new Soviet bomber production;
- g. Soviet third-quarter industrial growth.

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25X1 1. [] George Winnett, State Congressional Liaison, called to say he had gotten a congressional inquiry about allegations regarding Kim Philby's relations with CIA. I told Winnett that if he would send the inquiry to us we would try to handle it.

25X1 2. [] Jack Leahy, State Department Congressional Liaison Office, called and asked if any members of the Foreign Relations Committee have been present at our briefings of the Senate CIA Subcommittees on Laos. Leahy is aware that Senators Fulbright, Mansfield and Hickenlooper (now Aiken) normally attend these meetings as invitees. He is raising this question as a result of Senator Fulbright's statement at Secretary Rogers briefing of the Symington Subcommittee that this was the first he knew of the extent of U.S. involvement in Laos. (See our Memo to the Director). On the Director's instructions, Leahy was advised that this was a matter which Mr. Helms would discuss personally with Secretary Rogers. 25X1



25X1 4. [] Met with Mr. Al Tarabochia, Chief Investigator, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, and received from him for Agency review the galley proofs of the 16 October Committee hearing of testimony of []

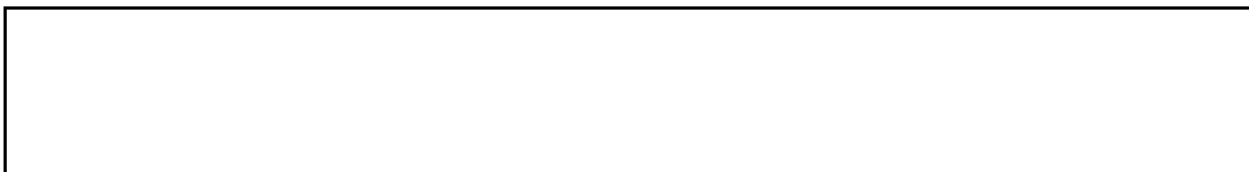
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6. [redacted] Met with Mr. Pat Holt, Staff Director, Symington Subcommittee on U.S. Agreements and Commitments Abroad, and delivered to him a listing of the board of directors of Air America, Incorporated, and Air Asia Company, Limited. This was a followup to a request by Senator Mike Mansfield (D., Mont.) during the Director's appearance before the Subcommittee on Tuesday.

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7. [redacted] Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who advised that after Friday we may be able to dispense with daily delivery of the transcript of the Director's appearance. The transcript will be needed on Wednesday, 5 November, however, for a Committee administrative meeting on the Laos hearings.

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8. [redacted] Received from Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, an extract of the testimony of Admiral Rickover before the Committee concerning training of naval personnel and technicians in the Soviet Union. The excerpt was forwarded to DD/S&T for their use in responding to a question posed during the Director's appearance before the CIA Subcommittee on Wednesday, 29 October.

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9. [redacted] Met with Miss Sharon Steffel, in the office of Representative Tom Railsback (R., Ill.), and provided background material for response to a constituent on [redacted] case. Miss Steffel was very appreciative.

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10. [redacted] Met with Mrs. Gwen Strand, in the office of Representative Ogden Reid (R., N.Y.), and received a listing of the students and faculty members of the Good Counsel College of White Plains, New York, who will be visiting the Agency on Wednesday, November 5. The Office of Security and [redacted] have been advised.

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11. []) Met with Mrs. Oneta Stockstill, Executive Secretary, House Armed Services Committee, and reviewed with her H.R. 14318 and H.R. 14323, bills to create an office of defense review and a temporary national security commission. Mrs. Stockstill advised that comments have been requested from DOD and the Comptroller General, but that no Committee action is anticipated on these bills. No interim response is desired. If the Agency has strong objection to the bill such a response would be of use to the Committee. Otherwise no answer to the Chairman's letter is needed at this time.

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1. [] Returned the call of Roger Majak, Legislative Assistant to Representative Jonathan Bingham (D., N.Y.), who wanted to meet with me to discuss an article on the CIA to be written by the Congressman for a popular magazine. Majak said they wanted to deal with CIA operations and the congressional role therein and in that connection said they would like information on the Members and committees we contact on a regular basis and those contacted on an irregular basis. I told him that at a minimum we would draw together some material that he might find valuable reading before outlining the article, including floor debates on the general subject of the legislative oversight of the CIA. Majak said this would be fine and I said we would try to get back to him in the next several days. (Later in the day [], OCI, informed [], OLC, that Majak had contacted Mrs. [] who is a personal friend, for the same purpose.)

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2. [] Ted Swift, in the office of Senator Robert C. Byrd (D., W.Va.), called referring to a floor speech to be made by the Senator on the November Moratorium and asked for such information as we could properly supply on the use of the Moratorium by Hanoi. [] [] is assembling suitable material.

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3. [] Following instructions from the Director, I called Mr. Walter Pincus, on the Symington Subcommittee staff, to advise him of Mr. Clyde McAvoys plans to leave for Laos this afternoon. Mr. Pincus said there were no outstanding items concerning Mr. McAvoys as far as the Subcommittee was concerned. (See Memo for the Record.)

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25X1 4. [] Al Tarabochia on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, called to advise us that the galley proof of the Subcommittee's interview with [] was available for our review. I told him I would drop by and pick this up in the next day or two.

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Tarabochia also wished to advise us that one of their sources had informed the Subcommittee that he had a means of getting out of Peru an American citizen who was arrested there and whose case was mentioned [] 27 October on page I-1. Tarabochia was merely passing this piece of information on to us. WH Division is being advised.

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25X1 5. [] Hand carried to Bill Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, our latest reserve withdrawal letter dated 28 October. I also discussed with Woodruff Chairman Russell's reaction to Woodruff's briefing of him on the withdrawal letter dated 15 October. (See Memo for the Record.)

25X1 6. [] Met with Ed Braswell, on the staff of the Senate Armed Services Committee, to discuss our retirement legislation and the possibility of our bill being introduced in the Senate. Braswell strongly recommends that we proceed first with the House Committee on this legislation in view of Chairman Stennis' present involvement in the conferences on the Defense Procurement bill and the pressure on him to next take up the draft legislation. (See Memo for the Record.)

25X1 7. [] Met with George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, to discuss several outstanding items including the Roussilhe case, the Joint Committee's letter to ACDA on the Beecher article of 2 October, and his interest in [] (See Memo for the Record.)

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25X1 8. [] Chairman Mendel Rivers, House Armed Services Committee, introduced the CIA Retirement bill today in the House of Representatives.

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9. [] Delivered to Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, the transcript of the Director's testimony before the Symington Subcommittee on Tuesday, 28 October. Mr. Kuhl will hold the transcript in the main Committee room for Committee members or Subcommittee staff personnel involved in the Symington hearings. It was affirmed with Mr. Kuhl that the transcript will be picked up at the end of the day and returned to the Committee each day for as long as daily review is desired by the Committee.

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10. [] It was learned today that Mr. Kenneth Sprankle, Clerk and Staff Director, House Appropriations Committee, is retiring effective 31 October. There is no present indication whether Mr. Paul Wilson, Assistant Clerk and Staff Director, will succeed Mr. Sprankle.

Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Defense Subcommittee staff, is retiring effective 31 October but may accept the Chairman's request to continue on with the staff for a period of time. No successor to Mr. Michaels has been designated.

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11. [] Delivered to Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, for the Chairman a Reserve withdrawal letter dated 28 October 1969.

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12. [] Met with Miss Carol Tuchman, Administrative Assistant to Representative Ogden Reid (R., N.Y.), and discussed Representative Reid's availability to address the Agency's Advanced Intelligence Seminar. Representative Reid is committed for Friday, November 7, away from the city and is overextended in speaking commitments during the next three weeks. Office of Training has been advised.

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25X1A 13. [redacted] Accompanied the Director and Messrs. [redacted]
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House Appropriations Committee. See Memo for the Record for details.

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1. [] Accompanied the Director who testified before the Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad of Senate Foreign Relations Committee, regarding our involvement in Laos. A transcript is available in OLC.

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2. [] Jay Sourwine, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, called with a question about the Stockholm Conference on Vietnam. He said a press release which was given by the International Liaison Committee on 12 October discussed this conference. Sourwine is interested in knowing whether any Americans participated in this conference.

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5. [] Checked with Al Westphal, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, on the status of amendments to the Foreign Service Retirement Act to provide the benefits of the Daniels/McGee bill to Foreign Service retirees. Westphal advised that the Committee is preoccupied with the Foreign Aid bill and has no immediate plans to act on this legislation. He did indicate, however, that there is a good possibility that the Daniels/McGee amendments will be included in legislation which will also make other amendments to the Foreign Service Retirement Act.

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25X1 6. [] Met with Mr. John R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and discussed the introduction of the proposed amendments to the Agency's retirement act. Mr. Blandford indicated that the pressing business of the Chairman and the members at the present time are quite burdensome and could result in delay pending action on the amendments by the Senate Committee. He advised that he would take a further look at the matter during the day after receipt of the Agency's letter to the Speaker of the House formally transmitting the legislation for consideration by the Committee.

I met later in the day with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, who told me that he had gone over the legislative package with Mr. Blandford after receipt of the letter to the Speaker. The bill will be put in for introduction by the Chairman hopefully later in the week.

25X1 7. [] Briefed Mr. John R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, on the following items:

- a. Soviet low altitude defense measures;
- b. Soviet SS-9 test;
- c. Soviet leadership differences.

25X1 8. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, and finalized arrangements for the Director's meeting with the CIA Subcommittee on Wednesday, 29 October.

25X1 9. [] Talked to Mr. Walter Pincus, on the staff of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, after the Director's appearance before the Committee. Mr. Pincus advised that the Committee does not plan to request Agency witnesses for the hearings on Thailand scheduled to begin on Monday, 10 November.

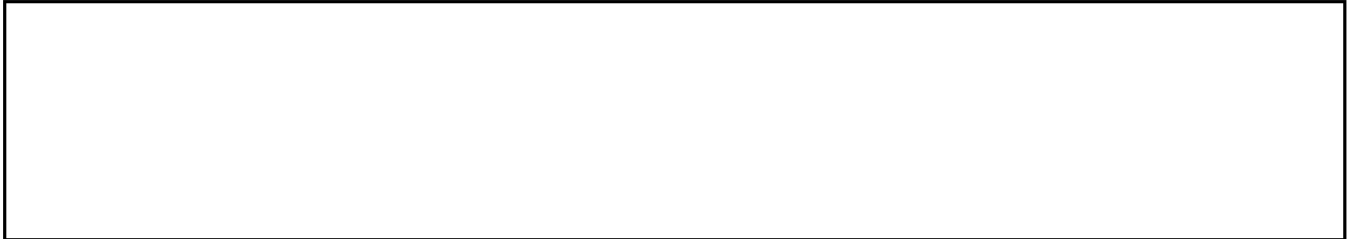
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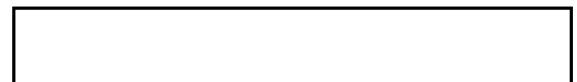


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11. [redacted] Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, after the Director's appearance and reconfirmed the existing arrangements for handling the transcript of the Director's meeting with the Symington Subcommittee. The transcript will be delivered to the Committee at the beginning of business each day and will be retained in the main Committee room to be picked up at the end of the day and returned to the Agency for safekeeping. This procedure will continue for as many days as may be required for review by the Committee members. Thereafter the transcript will be held for safekeeping by the Agency, subject to call by the Chairman.

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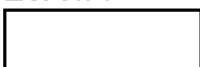
12. [redacted] Met with Mr. William Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, who told me he had briefed Senator Richard Russell (D., Ga.) on our Reserve withdrawal letter of 15 October. He recommends that at an opportune time the Director bring up the matter and discuss the project further with Senator Russell.



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1. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who advised that Chairman Mahon has scheduled the CIA Subcommittee meeting for 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, 29 October. See Memorandum for the Record.

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2. [] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and gave him a draft report on the Agency's retirement act amendments. Mr. Slatinshek advised that the Chairman's schedule is such that there is some difficulty in getting to him for introduction of the bill. He suggested that I talk to Mr. Blandford, Chief Counsel, in the morning.

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3. [] Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and confirmed the arrangements for the Director's appearance at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, 28 October before the Symington Subcommittee on U.S. Agreements and Commitments Abroad.

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4. [] Received a call from Representative Cornelius Gallagher (D., N.J.) and in response to his request made an appointment for 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, 29 October for a Mr. [] to meet with Mr. [], Office of Personnel.

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5. [] Received a call from Mr. Mel Christopher, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency Congressional Office, concerning a letter to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy which will be coming over this afternoon for our review from Mr. William Hancock, ACDA General Counsel. See Memorandum for the Record.

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6. [] Representative Otis Pike (D., N. Y.) called regarding an Indian visitor to the U. S. who apparently has interesting information based on a recent visit to Communist China. See Memo for the Record for details.

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7. [] Colonel Don Floyd, Air Force L&L, called to say he was handling the Laos hearings for the Air Force and wanted to know about the Director's appearance before the Symington Subcommittee. I explained briefly the ground rules, and Colonel Floyd said if we wanted to get in touch with him to coordinate any aspects he could be reached on code 11-76041.

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Friday - 24 October 1969

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1. [REDACTED] Hand carried to the Office of the Vice President and the Speaker of the House of Representatives the Director's letters transmitting our retirement legislation.

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4. [REDACTED] Left with Ed Braswell, Senate Armed Services staff, a copy of our draft report on the retirement bill and additional backup material. Braswell said he planned to get on this as soon as the conference is concluded on the Military Procurement bill.

Braswell asked if Bruce Clarke could come to the Committee rooms and review the last half of the transcript of the Senate debate on the ABM and indicate his suggested security deletions. Mr. Clarke is not in today but will probably do this on Monday.

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6. [] Met with Mr. Russ Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, whom I briefed on certain Soviet weapons supplied to North Korea and recent Middle East developments and the latest attempted Soviet moon probe.

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7. [] Met with Phil Kelleher, former Counsel of the House Armed Services Committee, who filled me in on some of the inner workings of the Committee (with several of whose members he remains in very close touch). He spoke of having been visited recently by several journalists, including Tom Lambert and Neil Sheehan, who are working on an expose of some of Chairman Rivers' activities.

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Thursday - 23 October 1969

25X1 1. [] Briefed James Gehrig, Staff Director, Senate Space Committee, on the recent Soviet space failure.

25X1 2. [] Met with J. Russ Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, whom I briefed on the latest Soviet lunar probe and the UAR fighter aircraft inventory.

I asked Blandford about the possibility of his giving a talk to a group of our senior officers in early November but he begged off because of his heavy schedule.

25X1 3. [] Called on Robert Michaels, on the staff of the House Appropriations Committee, to say we were all sorry to hear of his resignation and much appreciated his past assistance to us. He said he had no idea what Chairman Mahon wished us to discuss before his Subcommittee on 29 October--that when he had asked Mahon about this Mahon had simply said "we will talk about it later." Michaels will keep trying to get an answer from Mahon but can't predict when and if he will be successful. Michaels suggested that we be prepared to provide either a substantive briefing or a budget presentation until we get clarification.

25X1 4. [] 25X1A [] and I paid a courtesy call on Representative John Marsh (D., Va.) whom we filled in on the highlights of the Green Beret case in which he was interested. Marsh spoke of the growing restiveness of his colleagues over the House leadership, which they find increasingly inactive and inaccessible.

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5. [] Received a call from Mr. John R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who requested copies [] from Hanoi Radio concerning the Moratorium. Mr. Blandford requested that the material furnished be unclassified so that the Chairman may be free to use the material as he sees fit. []

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6. [] Met with Chairman George P. Miller, House Science and Astronautics Committee, and briefed him on a Soviet Cosmos mission.

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7. [] Met with Miss Berniece Kalinowski, personal secretary to Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and advised her for Mr. Slatinshek that the proposed amendments to the Agency's retirement act were approved by Bureau of the Budget.

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8. [] Met with Mrs. Strand, in the office of Representative Ogden Reid (R., N.Y.), who advised that she talked to Dr. Brady, of the Good Counsel College, today. Dr. Brady advised her that there are no foreign students in the group who will be attending the briefing at the Agency on 5 November. Dr. Brady is forwarding a list of the names of students and faculty members who will be attending. She also advised that the group will have their own bus transportation to move them from one place to another while in the District. [] has been advised.

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10. [] Talked briefly with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who advised that he does not expect any more word from the Chairman concerning next week's meeting of the CIA Subcommittee before Monday. He will call if word is received before then.

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11. [] Met with Gertrude King, in the office of Representative Thomas Morgan (D., Pa.), who apologized for the misinformation set forth in Representative Morgan's letter of 13 October. Miss King asked that the letter be returned. I advised Miss King that we would forward a short letter to Representative Morgan explaining that [] was not employed by the Agency because of information set forth in her preliminary medical review. Miss King was most appreciative.

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12. [] Mr. Wilfred H. Rommel, Assistant Director for Legislative Reference, Bureau of the Budget, called clearing, on a no objection basis, for transmittal to the Congress our proposed CIA Retirement Act amendments. He also said that upon completion of our actuarial study BOB would like to be advised of the "normal costs" of the system and plans for handling "unfunded liability" of the Fund. See Memo for the Record.

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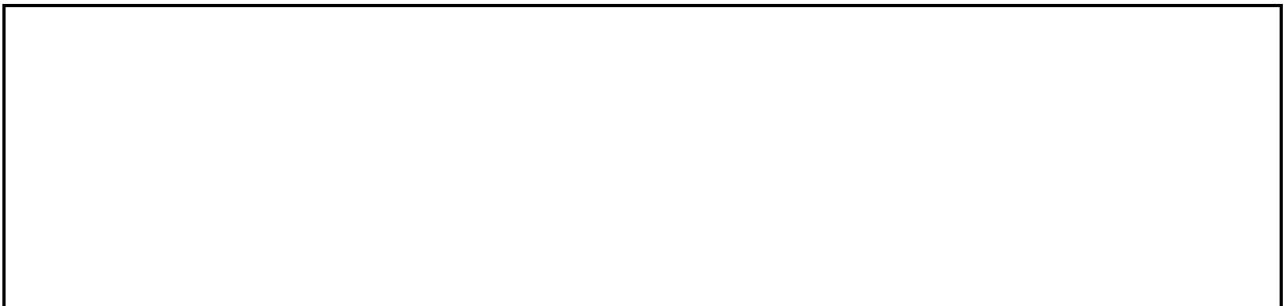
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2. [] Met with James Gehrig, Staff Director of the Senate Space Committee, and brought him up-to-date on all the information which we now have on the Soyuz 6, 7, and 8 flights. I also alerted him to the possibility of a new Soviet space activity within the next three to five days.

3. [] Accompanied Colonel William Burnett, of OSA, to a briefing of Bill Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, on a project involved in our withdrawal letter of 18 September 1969.



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5. [] Received a call from Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who asked that I find out what days next week would best suit the Director for a meeting with the CIA Subcommittee. Mr. Michaels advised that the Chairman had not indicated the purpose of the meeting, but had requested that Mr. Michaels check the availability of the Subcommittee members and try to set a time with the Director for next week. After checking the Director's schedule, I told Mr. Michaels that Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday, with some preference for Wednesday or Thursday, appeared best at this time. Mr. Michaels advised later in the day that Wednesday morning, 29 October, is being scheduled for the meeting of the Subcommittee. The time of the meeting, however, is still indefinite and will have to be determined later.

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6. [] Met with Mr. Wayne Birdsall, of the commercial reporting firm Ward and Paul, and confirmed arrangements for handling of reporters' notes and transcript of the Director's appearance before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on Thursday, 23 October. Mr. Birdsall advised that he does have some problem with availability of appropriate transcribers this week which is causing delay in turning out the finished transcripts, but that this is a problem that has to be handled on a day-to-day basis by his office.

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7. [] Talked to Mr. Walter Pincus, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, who told me the Director's appearance for tomorrow before the Symington Subcommittee is to be put over. He said Chairman Symington will be calling the Director later in the day and possibly by that time it will have been determined when the Director will be appearing.

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8. [] Met briefly with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and confirmed the security and administrative arrangements that had been made in his absence with regard to the Director's appearance before the Symington Subcommittee.

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Tuesday - 21 October 1969

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1. [] Dorothy Fosdick advised that Senator Henry Jackson (D., Wash.) regrets that he will be unable to accept the Director's invitation to address our senior officers in a seminar since he will be in Washington state for a testimonial dinner during that period. I suggested that we approach him again at some time in the near future and Miss Fosdick said she was sure the Senator would like to have another opportunity.

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2. [] Met with Bill Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and brought him up-to-date on the information we have on the Soyuz flights.

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3. [] In connection with his query about "the report" mentioned in the Beecher column of 2 October, I advised George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, that I could not respond to his question as he had put it since this was not one report but was a series of papers which were being prepared. (Murphy had asked if we could tell him the status of the report which was being prepared in connection to the SALT talks.)

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4. [] Called Wilfred Rommel, Assistant Director for Legislative Reference, Bureau of the Budget, to ask that he give prompt attention to our proposed legislation to increase retirement benefits which was hand carried to his office this morning. See Memo for the Record for details.

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5. [] Discussed with Roger Jones, Bureau of the Budget, our proposed Agency retirement legislation and provided him information on its estimated cost over the next two fiscal years. See Memo for Record for details.

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6. [] Mr. Powell, in the office of Representative Louis C. Wyman (R., N.H.), called and agreed that the Katzenbach Report would serve as a good basis for closing out a constituent inquiry concerning alleged CIA funding of Christianform.

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8. [] In response to her call, met with Miss Dorothy Fosdick, Senate Government Operations Committee staff, and received from her a constituent letter from one [] which was forwarded for guidance in responding to the letter. Miss Fosdick also gave me a letter from [] of Belfast, North Ireland, which was addressed to Senator Henry Jackson (D., Wash.) with the request that an enclosed sealed envelope be forwarded to the "Central Investigations Agency."

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9. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who advised that the Chairman had approved the necessary documentation last evening authorizing Mr. Michael's retirement on 31 October. There is no indication as yet who will be succeeding Mr. Michaels in directing the Defense Subcommittee staff.

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25X1 10. [] Met with Mr. John R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and briefed him on the following items:

- a. Soyuz 6, 7 and 8;
- b. Soviet bomber test;
- c. Soviet-ChiCom border.

25X1 11. [] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and gave him the dates for insertion in the draft of the CIA retirement bill which was given to him last week. Mr. Slatinshek told me that the Chairman is away until tomorrow or possibly Thursday. Consideration of Committee handling of the bill will have to await the Chairman's return.

25X1 12. [] FE Division, to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee's rooms in preparation for the Director's appearance on Thursday. We met with Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, who is acting in the absence of Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Committee Clerk, and confirmed appropriate portions of the security and administrative arrangements for the Agency's appearance on Thursday.

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14. [] Met with Mr. Ed Hugler, House Post Office and Civil Service Manpower Subcommittee, concerning S.782 and Representative David Henderson's (D., N.C.) substitute bill. Mr. Hugler indicated that Representative Henderson would still prefer no additional legislation on the subject, but if pressed by the return of S.782 to the House, his bill would be introduced for substitution. It is the staff's understanding, however, that there are not sufficient votes in the Senate Subcommittee to get the bill out of the Committee.

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Monday - 20 October 1969

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1. [] Mr. William Irvine, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee staff, called to advise that the President signed the Daniels/McGee retirement act. I thanked Mr. Irvine for his courtesy.

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3. [] Arranged with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, to meet with Mr. William Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, on Wednesday for a briefing on a recent withdrawal from the Reserve. The time of the meeting will be worked out during the day tomorrow.

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4. [] Attempted to contact Mr. Powell, in the office of Representative Louis C. Wyman (R., N.H.), but he was still in the congressional district and will call me when he returns. See Journals of 15 and 16 October 1969.

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6. [] Louis D. Allen, Vice President of the Alexandria Optimist Club, called to ask if we would provide a guest speaker for one of their meetings. I said we did not maintain a speakers bureau, as many other agencies do, explaining the reasons therefor, but said I would get his request into the hands of an appropriate official. This was turned over to []

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Friday - 17 October 1969

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1. [] Hand carried to Bill Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, a reserve withdrawal letter for a sensitive project. Woodruff requested, and OPPB is preparing, a backup paper on this for his use in briefing Senator Russell.

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2. [] Received a call from Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, concerning an article on the Agency appearing in the Government Executive for October 1969. Bob made no request concerning the article but wanted us to know about the item.

Later in the day I delivered to Mr. Michaels a notification from the Director of a withdrawal from the Reserves. Explanation of the withdrawal will be provided on Monday.

I briefed Mr. Michaels on the following items:

- a. Soyuz 6, 7 and 8;
- b. testing of a Soviet aircraft;
- c. Soviet-Chinese border defenses.

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3. [] Met with Chairman George P. Miller (D., Calif.) and James Wilson, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and updated the information previously provided on Soyuz 6, 7 and 8. The Chairman had little comment but has been very interested in the progress of this flight.

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4. [] b) Met with Russ Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who does not foresee a request for Committee briefing in the immediate future. The present Committee workload is occupying the full attention of the members of the staff. In the area of general congressional matters, Russ commented on the Senate's Symington Subcommittee hearings on Laos scheduled for next week. He commented somewhat philosophically that it is his feeling this is a price we have to pay to maintain our democratic form of government. He did not comment on the Director's appearance, but seemed to be puzzled as to the purpose to be served by these hearings.

I briefed Mr. Blandford on the following items:

- a. Soyuz 6, 7 and 8;
- b. testing of a Soviet aircraft;
- c. Soviet-Chinese border defenses.

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Thursday - 16 October 1969

25X1 1. [] Senator Stuart Symington's (D., Mo.) office called in connection with a constituent inquiry for the address of the U.S. Communist Party and I referred the caller to the FBI.

25X1 2. [] In response to his earlier call (see Journal of 15 October), called Mr. Powell, in the office of Representative Louis C. Wyman (R., N.H.), but learned that he was in the congressional district and would not return until the 20th. It was suggested that I await his return and they would tell him that I had called.

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25X1 4. [] Delivered to Mary Flanagan, in the office of Representative Walter Flowers (D., Ala.), Agency brochures requested for use in responding to constituent inquiries. Miss Flanagan took the occasion to note that Representative Flowers had been invited to a breakfast briefing earlier in the year and has questioned why the invitation had not been renewed. I told Mary that Representative Flowers is still No. 1 on our list and at such time as we have another breakfast briefing he certainly will be invited. Mary indicated that she felt Representative Flowers was somewhat concerned that there might have been another briefing and that his name might not have been included.

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5. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, and updated the previous briefing on Soyuz 6, 7 and 8 for Chairman Mahon. I also briefed him for the Chairman on the following items:

- a. recent developments regarding Soviet strategic missile deployment;
- b. preliminary analysis regarding a new Soviet aircraft;
- c. Soviet nuclear tests.

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Wednesday - 15 October 1969

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1. [] Alerted Larry McHugh, on the staff of the Joint Economic Committee, to the fact that our contributions to the Committee's Soviet study were forwarded to the Library of Congress last week. Mr. McHugh had not been advised of this by the Library and appreciated my call.

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2. [] In view of his prior notice to us of a letter which the Secretary of Defense had received from the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy regarding the William Beecher article of 9 October, I advised Frank Hand, DOD Liaison, that the Agency had been contacted today by ACDA regarding a letter they had received from the Joint Committee concerning Beecher's article of 2 October. I told Hand that it was the 2 October article on which we had received an inquiry from the Joint Committee.

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3. [] Left with Ed Braswell, on the staff of the Senate Armed Services Committee, our paper showing the changes which would be made in various sections of the CIA Retirement Act by our proposed Daniels/McGee type amendments.

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4. [] Briefed William Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, on Soyuz 6, 7, and 8. I also brought him up-to-date on the most recent information regarding Soviet missiles.

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6. [] Advised J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, that there was interest in the three individuals he had called about previously (see Journal of 13 October 1969). Sourwine said that he would not pursue this further, but that when the needs and interests of the Agency permit the Subcommittee would like to have an opportunity to review the cases in light of the Subcommittee's interest and I said we would so record the interests of the Subcommittee now and handle the matter as we have in prior cases. (Sourwine said he was pleased that we were interested in these cases but was surprised that the "other agency" (presumably FBI) professed to know nothing about these cases.)



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8. [] Met with Mr. Walter Pincus concerning the Director's appearance before the Senate Foreign Relations Subcommittee on U.S. Agreements and Commitments Abroad on Thursday, 23 October. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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9. [] Met with Chairman George Miller, House Science and Astronautics Committee, and briefed him on the current Soviet Soyuz space mission. Chairman Miller was most appreciative and noted in passing that he had made a tape for TV at noon on this Soviet mission. He was able to state in all honesty that he had no idea what the purposes are of this particular mission and discussed his own interest in any experiments that might be conducted with regard to welding techniques.

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10. [] In the absence of Victor Zafra, BOB, who will be away until Monday and at the suggestion of Zafra's office, spoke with Mr. Dave McAfee on the best timing for submitting the Agency's counterpart of the Daniels bill for BOB clearance, assuming the Daniels bill is signed by the President. See Memorandum for the Record.

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11. [] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and separately with Mr. James Wilson, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and updated the information previously furnished on the current Soviet Soyuz mission.

Mr. Wilson provided a copy of the October 1969 issue of the Government Executive which contained an item for our information. Page 19 of this issue carries an item entitled "CIA Internal Friction." Mr. Goodwin's office has been advised.

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12. [] Met briefly with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who advised that no action has been taken by the Chairman on possible realignment of the Defense Subcommittee staff. I brought Mr. Michaels up-to-date on the current Soyuz mission.

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Tuesday - 14 October 1969

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1. [] Discussed with Mr. Roger Jones, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget, our interest in new retirement legislation incorporating revisions similar to the Daniels/McGee bill now on the President's desk. (See Memo for the Record.)

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2. [] Marion Ball, Legislative Liaison Office, USIA, called and said they had received an inquiry from the Office of Representative Donald Lukens (R., Ohio) asking if USIA knew of any broadcasts from Hanoi or Peking on the topic of the so-called Vietnam Moratorium. I contacted [] and arranged for them to give the references to these items to Miss Ball directly.

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4. [] Jay Sourwine, on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, called regarding a report which the Subcommittee has received from a Cuban whom they regard as a good source. According to this source, Juan Bosch and Hector Aristi visited Kim Il Sung in North Korea on 8 October and discussed with him the withdrawal of U.S. troops from South Vietnam, Laos, and the U.S base at Guantanamo Bay. These men allegedly tried to influence the North Koreans to take a stand calling for the withdrawal of U.S. troops from these areas. Sourwine said we probably also had this information but he wanted to pass it on to us "just in case."

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5. [] Provided George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, sanitized material from the reports referred to in our study on Soviet computers. This was done in response to Murphy's request for this information.

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25X1 6. [] As a followup to her call of yesterday afternoon, I met with Mrs. Gwen Harrison, Administrative Assistant to Representative William Mailliard (R., Calif.), and provided the requested news clipping for use in responding to constituent inquiries on the Green Beret matter.

25X1 7. [] Gave to Pat Valentine, in the office of Representative Tom Railsback (R., Ill.), material for the Congressman's use in responding to a constituent inquiry about the CIA.

25X1 8. [] Messrs. Miller, Lemp and O'Neill met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and reviewed with him the proposed Agency legislation to update the CIA retirement system. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

25X1 9. [] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and updated the information previously provided on the current Soviet Soyuz mission.

25X1 10. [] Met with Mr. James Wilson, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and briefed him on the current Soviet Soyuz mission.

25X1 11. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who confirmed his earlier advice to me that he intends to retire at the end of the month and take the benefits of the Daniels/McGee bill. He told me that no official notice has been taken by the Chairman of the intended retirement and no designations have been made and there have been no conversations with regard to succession on the Defense Subcommittee staff. He assumes that in all probability Ralph Preston will succeed him and he will advise me at the earliest possible moment of any word on the subject so that we can start working with Ralph.

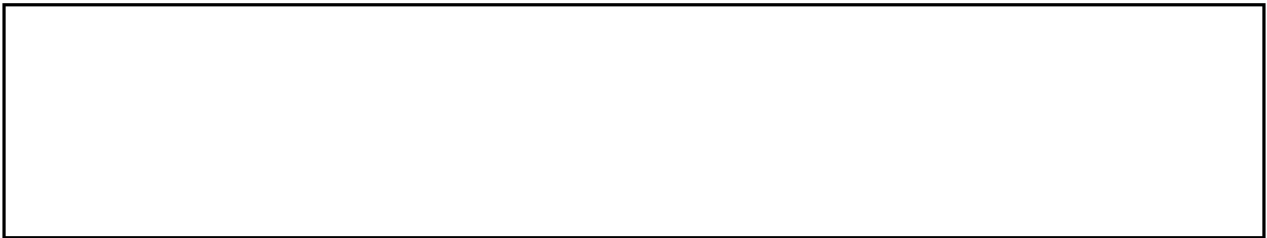
I updated the information previously furnished Mr. Michaels on the current Soviet Soyuz mission.

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13. [redacted] Lura Dean Hoskinson, in the office of Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.), called to set up an appointment with Agency representatives for a constituent who is looking for a 20-year grant to underwrite a program for "making children better individuals." I told her that from what she had said the program had no apparent interest for this Agency and reviewed the legislative proscriptions surrounding our functions. She agreed, but said that she might have to come back to us if she was unable to arrange other appointments for the constituent since apparently an HEW representative who had talked to him had mentioned that either DOD or CIA may have some interest. I told her that if called upon we would meet with the individual as a courtesy to the Senator.

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14. [redacted] Mr. Robert Hull, Department of State, called for a rundown on our plans for updating the Agency's Retirement Act to the Daniel [redacted] which I gave him.



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Monday - 13 October 1969

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1. [] Received a call from Gwen Harrison, in the office of Representative William Mailliard (R., Calif.), who advised that she is preparing responses to constituent correspondence relating to the Green Beret case and requested a listing of the congressional committees that review the activities of the Agency. Mrs. Harrison also advised that she would appreciate a copy of whatever wire service or press clippings we might have immediately available concerning the review by the President of the determination of the Director of Central Intelligence in this case. I thanked Mrs. Harrison for her call and advised that we would send her a copy of an appropriate clipping.

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3. [] George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called and asked for copies of reports which were referred to in the study which we provided him on Soviet computers. I told him I would check on this and be back in touch.

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7. [redacted] In an chance encounter I asked Carl Marcy, Chief of Staff, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, about the Symington Subcommittee hearings on U.S. involvements in Southeast Asia and what role his staff was playing therein. He said that Messrs. Pincus and Paul were "running this show on their own," but that he personally was following the hearings with interest and expected they would produce some very far-reaching results indeed.

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8. [redacted] Met with Russ Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and briefed him on:

- a. Recent developments regarding Soviet strategic missile deployment.
- b. Preliminary analysis regarding a new Soviet aircraft.
- c. Current Soviet Soyuz mission.

Blandford complained that items a. and b. above confirmed his belief that Agency estimates on such matters were often too conservative.

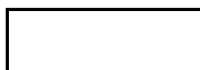
I also discussed with Mr. Blandford a recent personnel case in which he was interested. (See Memo for Record for details)

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Friday - 10 October 1969

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25X1 1. [] Provided George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, with a report "Soviet Design and Development of Advanced Digital Computers."

25X1 2. [] Hand carried to Mrs. Verda Barnes, Administrative Assistant to Senator Frank Church (D., Idaho), a suggested reply to a constituent inquiry from [] covering Agency authorities for declining to provide information in connection with the Green Beret case.

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25X1 3. [] Hand carried to Ed Braswell, on the staff of the Senate Armed Services Committee, an Agency report entitled: "Panama, one Year After the Coup" in connection with Senator Stennis' expressed interest in Panama.

I also provided Braswell with a package of materials in connection with our request for legislation comparable to the Daniels / McGee bills.

25X1 4. [] Met with Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and scheduled a meeting for Tuesday afternoon, 14 October, to discuss our proposed amendments to the Agency retirement bill. The Committee's workload is such that Frank is committed through the weekend and does not have the necessary one hour to meet with us before Tuesday.

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Thursday - 9 October 1969

25X1 1. [] George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, called and said that he would like to see a copy of the Agency's study on Soviet computers. Murphy is interested in this because he understands that proposals are being made for the U.S. to send sophisticated computers to Soviet atomic energy laboratories. Murphy is opposed to this and wishes to learn as much as he can about the state of the art in the Soviet Union. He was advised by the Atomic Energy Commission that the Agency had such a study. I told him I would look into this and be in touch with him.

Murphy also referred to an article in yesterday's Washington Star concerning two spies who were arrested and subsequently freed and may be the subjects of an exchange arrangement. He would like any information that we might have on [] 25X1A

25X1 2. [] Talked with Ed Braswell, Chief of Staff, Senate Armed Services Committee, about our interest in getting legislation which would provide benefits comparable to those contained in the Daniels/McGee bill for the CIA retirement system. Braswell made the following points:

a. He is not at all sympathetic to those persons who are pressing for maximum retirement benefits on top of cost-of-living increases but he sees no reason why the increased benefits for the CIA system cannot carry the same effective date as the McGee/Daniels legislation.

b. They will be tied up in conference meetings on the military procurement bill for the next two weeks.

c. He suggests that we press for action in the House committee first since as he put it Stennis does not like to "carry the torch" on retirement-type legislation.

d. While he is cool to the possibility of our obtaining statutory authority for the Director to adopt Civil Service retirement benefits by administrative action, he did not completely rule out this possibility.

It was agreed that I would provide Braswell with our retirement package including our draft language for administrative authorities. He will review it at his earliest opportunity and then get together with us.

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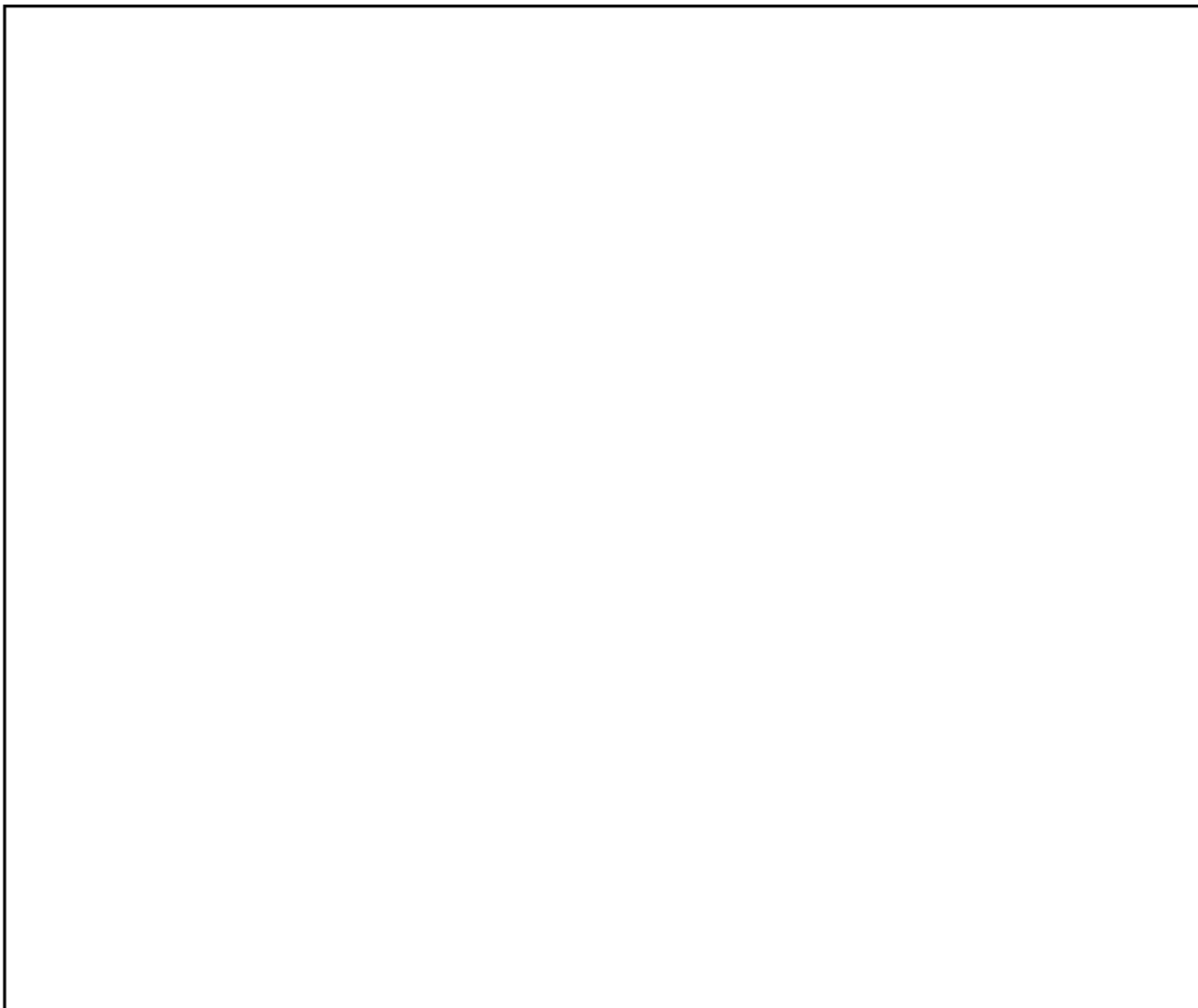
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3. [] Briefed Jim Gehrig, Senate Aeronautical and
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7. [] Met with Miss Berniece Kalinowski, personal secretary to Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, who advised that Mr. Slatinshek will be tied up at least through today in conference on the defense bill and that the earliest he would have any time for discussion of the Agency's retirement bill would be tomorrow afternoon.

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8. [] Met with Mr. James Wilson, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and briefed him on a Soviet space activity. Chairman Miller is in California until the first of the week.

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9. [] Received a call from Mr. Robert Michaels, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee, who wanted to be sure that the Agency had seen the article entitled "The CIA and The Green Berets: A Strange Case of Mistaken Identities (sic)?" by L. Fletcher Prouty who is touted by the Armed Forces Journal as an individual highly knowledgeable on CIA and its activities. He advised that the information in this article is contrary to the information provided the Appropriations Committee yesterday by the Secretary of the Army. On meeting with Mr. Michaels I gave him a copy of a previous article by Prouty that appeared in The New Republic of 23 and 30 August 1969 and advised that the biographic sketch on Prouty that appeared in the Armed Forces Journal was somewhat inflated. I also reviewed with Mr. Michaels some of the details of the Prouty article. Although he is still concerned that such misinformation about the Agency is appearing in the public press, no further response or information is desired from the Agency at this time.

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10. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee, and gave him certain Agency personnel information for the Chairman. (See Journal item #5 of 19 September for details.)

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11. [REDACTED] Met with Mr. Harold Gould, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and received from him a copy of present membership of the Committee's Panel on Science and Technology and a program summary for the Panel's meeting scheduled for January 27, 28, and 29, 1970. (See Journal item of 6 October.)

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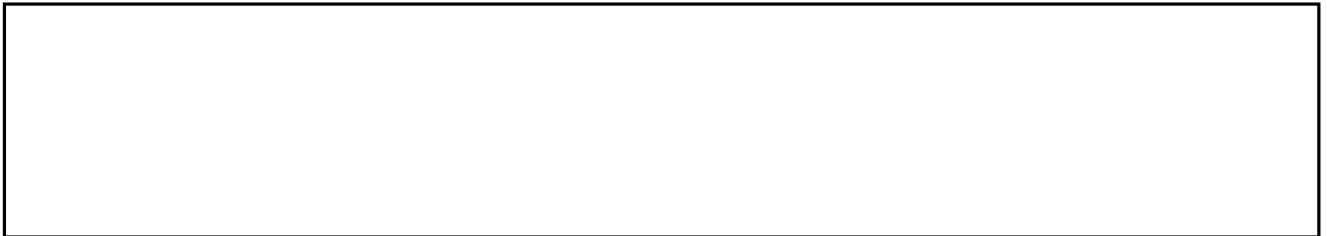
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Wednesday - 8 October 1969

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1. [redacted] Mrs. Mary Leslie, in the office of Representative Samuel S. Stratton (D., N.Y.), called to say that the Congressman had a very good friend whom he would like to have interviewed for possible employment by the Agency. I advised Mrs. Leslie of our currently tight hiring situation but suggested that she have [redacted] [redacted], Personnel, for a personal interview and that she could be assured that all possible employment opportunities would be explored.
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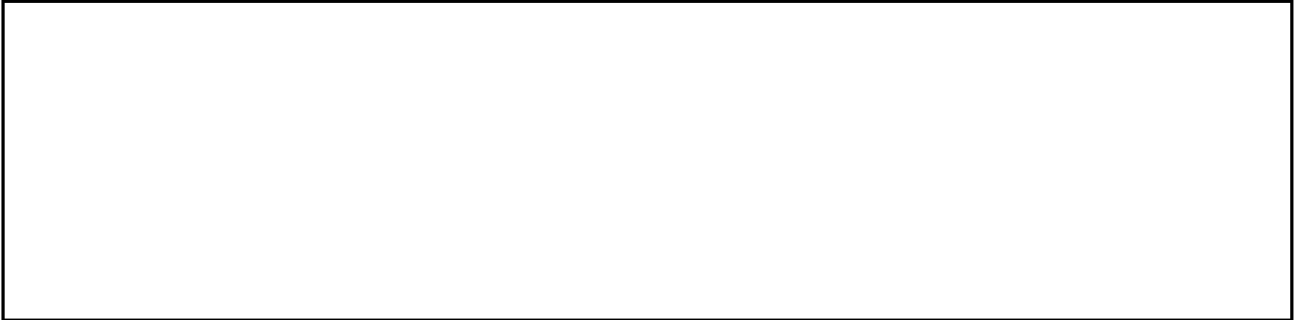
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3. [redacted] Miss Wood, in the office of Representative Clarence Miller (R., Ohio), called on behalf of a constituent interested in employment opportunities with the Agency and we sent her the appropriate brochures.
 4. [redacted] Touched base with Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, regarding our intention to obtain legislation comparable to the McGee bill. Woodruff said there was no particular need for clearing any of this with him but added that he was generally interested and appreciated our keeping him informed on our progress on this. In response to my question he saw no reason why we should not include in our current proposal the provision which would authorize the transfer of funds between our retirement system and the Civil Service system. He also saw no reason why we should not attempt to obtain legislation which would permit the Director to adopt administratively provisions of law enacted for the Civil Service system. On all of this, however, he deferred to our staff contacts with the House and Senate Armed Services Committees.

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6. [redacted] Talked to [redacted] DIA, about his intention to brief Representative L. Mendel Rivers on a certain sensitive intelligence dissemination. I told [redacted] should not be shown to Mr. Rivers and that I had serious reservations about his using the source indicated in that document in his briefing. I said there were a number of reasons for this including the fact that Chairman Rivers could receive an erroneous impression from this. [redacted] said he would refrain from using our document but indicated that DIA intended to publish the information contained in it sourcing it in the same way as the [redacted]

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with Senator Gravel's opposition to the AEC nuclear test at Amchitka was very timely. The Senator had discussed this test with the Soviets previously and plans to meet with Ambassador Dobrynin on this same matter tomorrow.

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2. [REDACTED] Talked with Ed Bauser and George Murphy, on the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, concerning Mr. Bauser's letter to the Director forwarding the William Beecker column which appeared in the New York Times on 2 October. After some discussion, Bauser and Murphy accepted my oral response to the effect that the report referred to in the column on "spy capabilities" was being prepared under the aegis of the National Security Council and therefore could not be made available by the Agency. No written response is necessary. (See Memo for the Record for details.)

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3. [REDACTED] Talked briefly with Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff. Woodruff informed me that Senator John McClellan had suffered a mild stroke last week which has left him with a partial paralysis on one side of his face.

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4. [REDACTED] I talked with Mr. Pat Holt, senior staff man on the Senate Foreign Relations ad hoc Subcommittee on U.S. Agreements and Commitments Abroad, about the hearings on Laos scheduled for next week (see Memorandum for the Record).

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5. [REDACTED] Met with Mrs. Oneta Stockstill, Executive Secretary, House Armed Services Committee, who told me that no further consideration has been given by the Committee to filling the vacancies in the various subcommittees which were occasioned by the death of Representative William Bates (R., Mass.). It may be assumed that Representative Charles Gubser (R., Calif.) will in all probability be named to the CIA Subcommittee, but it may be some time before such decision is made by the Committee.

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6. [] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and talked in general terms about amendment of the Agency's retirement bill in consonance with the Daniels-McGee bill passed by the House and the Senate. Mr. Slatinshek advised that the Chairman will be introducing amending legislation possibly this afternoon to update the military retirement system in keeping with the liberalized authority for cost of living increases set forth in the Daniels-McGee bill. He told me it is anticipated that the House will accept the McGee version on the floor tomorrow. As for our bill, Frank requested a draft of the Agency's adaptation of the Daniels-McGee bill provisions together with a draft of any additional provisions the Agency might desire for his personal study. It is his opinion that it would be a waste of time to even forward a copy of our draft, "Administrative Authority Amendment," which would authorize the Director to adopt future changes in civil service retirement legislation. Such a measure could not hope for Committee passage at this time, let alone passage by the House of Representatives.

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7. [] Met with Miss Louise Ellis, House Armed Services Committee staff, and reviewed with her the updating of security clearances. Appropriate documentation was completed.

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8. [] Met with Mr. Pat Holt, Consultant, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who advised that Senator J. Fulbright (D., Ark.) will be travelling to Trinidad as an official delegate of the United States Senate to the Commonwealth Parliamentary Meeting and should have no need for support or assistance by the Agency during the visit.

Milrae Jensen, Staff Assistant, advised me later in the day that Senators Fulbright and Marlow Cook (R., Ky.) will be accompanied by Mr. Seth Tillman, Committee Consultant. The congressional delegation will be departing for Trinidad on 14 October and returning to Washington on 19 October.

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Monday - 6 October 1969

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1. [REDACTED] Received a call from Mrs. Emily Dodson, on the staff of the House Science and Astronautics Committee, who advised that the Committee's panel of experts from the academic world and private industry will be convening with the Committee on January 27, 28 and 29. Admission to the panel sessions will be by invitation. The Staff Director, Mr. Charles Ducander, has requested that she ascertain the names and, where appropriate, position titles of Agency personnel who are desirous of attending the panel sessions. Office of DD/S&T has been advised.

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2. [REDACTED] In response to his request, provided Jay Sourwine, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, with unclassified information on [REDACTED] which was provided by BR.

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Friday - 3 October 1969

25X1 1. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who advised that no further action or conversations have been undertaken with DOD representatives concerning SWITCHBACK since the Chairman's letter to the DOD Comptroller. He expressed the opinion that from the information given the Committee this is a matter which should now be left to the technicians.

25X1 2. [] Met with Mrs. Strand, in the office of Representative Ogden Reid (R., N.Y.), and told her that approval had been granted for the meeting with the International Relations Studies Group of the Good Counsel College for November 5. Mrs. Strand will obtain the names of the participants and review the transportation arrangements that have been made by the group to get them to the Headquarters Building. [] 25X1 has been advised.

25X1 4. [] Hand carried to Mr. Ed Braswell, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, a blind memo on the Panama Canal which was prepared by OCI in response to a request made to the Director by Senator Stennis at our budget briefing last week.

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5. [] Met briefly with Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff. Woodruff said he received a call yesterday from Senator Russell's office asking him if he knew what the Director wished to see the Senator about. Woodruff asked me if I knew anything about this. I told him I did not but I assumed it was about Senator Symington's hearings on Laos.

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6. [] Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, National Security and International Operations Subcommittee, said that Senator Jackson hoped to be able to address the Intelligence Review Course in November but could not commit himself to a specific date at this time. Miss Fosdick mentioned that was the week of a special dinner for the Senator in Washington state and his plans are quite indefinite. She suggested that we proceed with the balance of the schedule and try to make an adjustment when the Senator's schedule is more definite.

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Thursday - 2 October 1969

1. [] Met with Mrs. Strand, in the office of Representative Ogden Reid (R., N. Y.), who advised that the International Relations Studies Group of the Good Counsel College will be composed of 25 students and 5 instructors. She also advised that Mrs. Helena Brady, Chairman, Department of History and Social Science, had been very complimentary in her remarks about [] of the Agency and expressed the hope that they "might be meeting with [] again on this occasion." I thanked Mrs. Strand for the additional information and told her that I would be back in touch with her tomorrow.

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3. [] Met with Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, and assured that there were no follow-up actions remaining from our budget briefing on 26 September.

I briefed Woodruff on the preliminary analysis of information on the Soviet bomber and alerted him to current Soviet space activity.

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1. [] Dick Scott, Director for Communications, advised of a call he had received from William H. Goodman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Communications. Goodman said that during appearances of State witnesses before Senator Symington's Subcommittee they were asked about State Department's communications facilities. Scott is assisting Goodman in preparing a suitable response to this question for the record. (See Mr. Scott's Memo for the Record for details.)

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3. [] Dave Brandwein, FMSAC, called to pass on a report he had received from Dave Williamson of NASA. During a briefing given the full House Science and Astronautics Committee by NASA, Chairman Miller mentioned that the Soviet space program was having some problems. Miller then mentioned in very general terms sensitive information given him by Brandwein in a private briefing. While this is on the Committee record, it is our collective judgment that Miller's remarks were not sufficiently serious to warrant an attempt to expunge them from the executive transcript. Williamson also expressed some reservations about the "reliability" of one of the members of this Committee. See Memo for the Record.

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4. [] In her absence left for Miss Harriet Robnett, in the office of Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.), a suggested reply to [] who had complained about the Agency's employment procedures (see Journal of 25 September), with a note to call me if she wanted further explanation. The suggested reply was coordinated with [] Personnel.

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25X1 5. [] Met with Mr. Jack Matteson, House Foreign Operations and Government Information Subcommittee staff, concerning the question of the Director's statutory authority to withhold witnesses and information from the Green Beret trial (see Journal item of 30 September). I went over again with Mr. Matteson in detail the pertinent sections of the Manual for Courts Martial, the National Security Act of 1947 and the CIA Act of 1949 and learned that he had talked to Colonel Chilcoat, Army JAG, who confirmed the information I gave Mr. Matteson yesterday. I satisfied Mr. Matteson that the Director was acting well within the authorities. He will so report to Chairman Moss. Mr. Matteson expressed his appreciation for my meeting with him and indicated once again that this type of problem is one of the most difficult for the Chairman. As we closed he noted that the information provided should be sufficient to avoid the necessity of a formal letter from the Chairman to the Director on this matter.

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25X1 7. [] Met with Representative George P. Miller (D., Calif.), Chairman, House Science and Astronautics Committee, and separately with Mr. James Wilson, of the Committee staff, and briefed them on a Soviet space matter.

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8. [redacted] Received a call from Mr. John Walsh, on the staff of the Senate Government Operations Committee Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, who requested confirmation of Agency employment during 1958 to 1964 of a former employee, [redacted]

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[redacted] is a possible Committee witness.

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9. [redacted] Talked with Charles Campbell, in the office of Senator Richard B. Russell, about our disposition of the application

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[redacted] I told Campbell that while he was obviously well-qualified we had very few vacancies at his level particularly at this time and these were normally filled from within. I told him we were advising

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[redacted] to this effect. Campbell thanked me for reporting back to him and said as far as their office was concerned, the matter was closed.

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